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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Gregory S. Bayley, et al.
Serial No. : 09/618,536
Filed : July 18, 2001
For : INFLATABLE CURTAIN
Examiner : Ruth Ilan
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Washington, D.C. 20231

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 26, 2002,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1, 4, 6, 10, and 12 as follows:

1. (Amended) Apparatus for helping to protect an
occupant of a vehicle that has a side structure and a roof,
said apparatus comprising:

an inflatable vehicle occupant protection device
that is inflatable in a direction away from the vehicle roof
into a position between the side structure of the vehicle and
a vehicle occupant, said inflatable vehicle occupant
protection device comprising overlying panels that are